

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Bakulesh Khamar	GROUP ART UNIT: 1614
SERIAL NO.: 09/868,075	EXAMINER: Zohreh A. Fay
FILED: 09/18/2001	DOCKET NO.: KHAB 8076
	CONFIRMATION NO.: 5439
FOR: THE PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING FORMULATION OF TOPICAL BETA BLOCKERS WITH IMPROVED EFFICACY	

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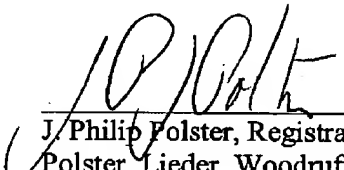
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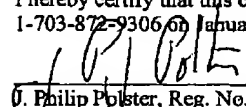
## REQUEST FOR OFFICE ACTION

Applicant's undersigned attorney notes that although an order withdrawing the holding of abandonment of this application was entered on May 18, 2004, Private PAIR still shows the status of the application as "Abandoned -- Failure to Respond to an Office Action." Private PAIR lists the present location as TC 1600 SIE TEAM 4, REM 4B35, and the Location Date as August 17, 2004. A telephone call to the number listed was forwarded to an anonymous voice mail. It is respectfully requested that the case be reopened and an action on the merits mailed to applicant's undersigned attorney.

Date: January 14, 2005

  
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